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Sir:

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	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE FOURTH-ORDER, BLIND					
For:	IDENTIFICATION OF AN UNDER-DETERMINED MIXTURE OF SOURCES					

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## **CLAIM OF PRIORITY**

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Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 119, Applicant hereby claims the priority of France Patent Application No. 03 04043 filed on April 1, 2003. The certified copy will be filed in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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